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Atty Docket No: 407T-911310US
Client Ref: 2000-462-6

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

**ALAN M. FOGELMAN, GATTADAHALLI
M. ANANTHARAMAIAH, and MOHAMAD
NAVAB**

Application No.: **10/649,378**

Filed: **8/26/2003**

For: **ORALLY ADMINISTERED SMALL
PEPTIDES SYNERGIZE STATIN ACTIVITY**

Examiner: Jeffrey E. Russel

Art Unit: 1654

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 26, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

The following documents are enclosed herewith:

- 1) A petition to extend the period of response for three months;
- 2) A Sequence Listing paper copy and computer readable form (CRF).

Please amend the specification and/or claims as shown herein.